# Mountain Weather Forecast

## North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 28 Jul 2022 until 23:59 on Friday 29 Jul 2022

Forecast Issued on Thursday 28 Jul 2022 at 03:01 by Met Office Aberdeen

**Confidence:** Low for extent of showers and low cloud on Thursday. Low for timing of arrival of rain on Friday. High for a changeable weekend but low for detail.

**Headline for Thursday 28 Jul 2022:** Dry morning, chance of a few showers in the afternoon. Light winds.

**Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 28 Jul 2022**

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|---|---|---|
| **Blizzards**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy persistent snow**<br>No Likelihood | **Storm force winds**<br>No Likelihood |
| **Gales**<br>No Likelihood | **Severe chill effect**<br>No Likelihood | **Poor visibility**<br>Low Likelihood |
| **Thunderstorms**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy persistent rain**<br>No Likelihood | **Strong sunlight**<br>Low Likelihood |

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | |
| 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | |
| Cloudy | Cloudy | Light rain | Light rain | Cloudy | Cloudy |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | |
| 00% | 10% | 40% | 30% | 30% | 20% |

**Forecast for Thursday 28 Jul 2022**

**Weather:** Generally dry in the morning with some sunny intervals. Becoming cloudier in the afternoon with a few showers breaking out, briefly heavy in places. Becoming drier into the evening with some cloud breaks developing.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 80%

**Low cloud and visibility:** Some patchy cloud around 500 metres at first across the more eastern Cairngorms. Otherwise cloud mostly above summits although lowering to 900 metres in any heavier showers.

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**Forecast for Thursday 28 Jul 2022**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 20/26 SE | 19/25 SE | 15/21 S | 12/17 S | 14/19 S | 14/19 S | 17/22 S |
| **900** | 13/18 SE | 11/15 SE | 14/18 S | 9/13 S | 8/11 S | 12/16 S | 15/20 S |
| **600** | 4/6 S | 7/10 W | 9/15 S | 7/11 S | 5/8 S | 6/10 SE | 6/10 S |
| **300** | 1/2 SW | 4/6 NW | 5/11 S | 4/10 S | 4/7 S | 2/7 SW | 4/9 SW |
| **Glen** | 1/2 NE | 2/5 E | 5/11 S | 4/9 S | 3/8 S | 3/11 S | 3/12 SW |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 5/0 | 7/2 | 8/4 | 8/5 | 7/4 | 6/3 | 6/2 |
| **900** | 9/6 | 10/8 | 11/9 | 11/10 | 11/9 | 10/7 | 10/7 |
| **600** | 9/8 | 11/10 | 14/12 | 14/13 | 13/12 | 12/11 | 12/11 |
| **300** | 10/10 | 14/14 | 17/16 | 17/16 | 15/15 | 13/13 | 12/11 |
| **Glen** | 10/10 | 15/16 | 18/18 | 18/18 | 16/16 | 14/14 | 12/12 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 2000m | 2000m | 2300m | 2500m | 2500m | 2500m | 2400m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View**
Still rather chilly at higher elevations under cloud cover

**Forecast for Friday 29 Jul 2022**
**Weather:** Most of the day will see some sunny periods. Clouding over from the west later in the afternoon with some patchy rain extending eastwards from mid-evening. Strengthening southerly winds in the afternoon and evening.

**Maximum wind:** Southerly 20 to 30 mph, gusts increasing to 40 mph in the evening

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 80%

**Low cloud and visibility:** Cloud mostly above summits, some thin cloud around at first around 200 to 500 metres

**Temperature:** **Glens:** Plus 12 rising to 21 Celsius
**At 800m:** Plus 12 Celsius
**Freezing level:** Above summits

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